2016
Eastern National
Robot Rodeo
Reporting Instructions

Event Information

Dates: Monday, 29 August 2016 – Friday, 2 September 2016 (Friday is a travel day, no event activities scheduled)

Location:
- Monday – All teams will be at Dobbins Air Reserve Base
- Tuesday – Thursday – Teams will rotate through scenarios
  - 2 days, teams will be at Dobbins Air Reserve Base
  - 1 day, teams will be at the Atlanta International Airport
- Thursday Evening – All teams will report back to Dobbins Air Reserve Base for event conclusion

Reporting Location / Time

Monday, 29 August 2016 – 9:00 AM

In-brief will begin at approximately 0900 – Suggested teams begin arriving between 0700 and 0800, to ensure no issues with base access

Location: Verhulst Hall (Building 813)

Directions: See attached maps – Note Large response trucks and vehicles towing trailers will need to utilize Dobbins ARB Gate 2, to avoid serpentine. Stay in Right Lane (POV) to avoid commercial / delivery lane.

Schedule: Detailed schedule for the week will be provided during the in-brief.
- Exercises are scheduled to begin at 0800 each day and conclude around 1500 each day

Attire

Air Force EOD teams can wear either ABU or OCP. Those choosing to wear OCPs, must have all required tapes and flashes.

<u>**Website (www.sandia.gov/robotrodeo)**</u>

All Teams should refer to site for up to date information

Ensure all personnel attending are registered through the website
- Registration information is being used to ensure personnel will be granted access to Dobbins Air Reserve Base

<u>**Lodging**</u>

Block of rooms has been held at the Atlanta Marriott Northwest at Galleria (see site for details)
- Teams are responsible for funding their own lodging

<u>**Meals**</u>

Dobbins Days: Lunch will be catered, at a cost of $10 to each participant each day. **(Please have $30 ready when reporting to Dobbins ARB on Monday Morning.** Money will be collected during sign in). This will cover the 3 days teams will be at Dobbins ARB.

Airport Day: Teams will eat at the Cafeteria located at the Federal Air Marshals Building at their own cost.
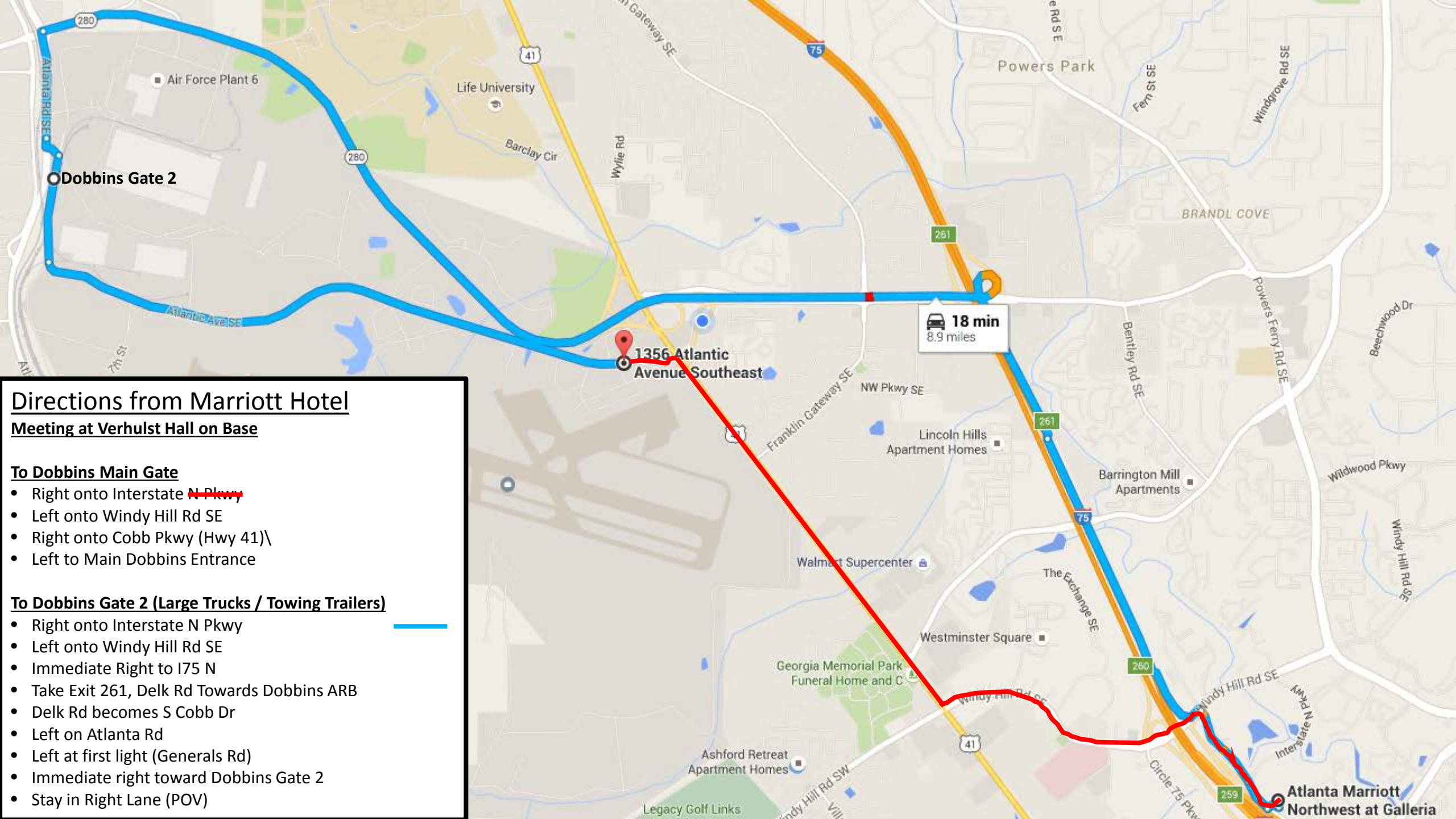
<u>**Team Loadout List / Training Recommendations**</u>

- Large Robot (ex. F6A)
- Medium Size Robot (Ex. HD2, Talon, iRobot 510)
- Wireless Capability
- Fiber Optic / Tethered Capability (Required for at least one scenario – Probably should train if you don't regularly use it)
- Spare Batteries, Chargers (robots will be used all day)
- Any and all attachable tools
- Hook & Line Kits
- PAN (with ability to fire from a robot)
- X-ray System
- Safety Glasses

DO NOT bring explosives or PAN ammunition (Rounds will be provided)

<u>**Vehicle Storage:**</u>

Teams will be able to secure response vehicles on Dobbins ARB for storage each night.

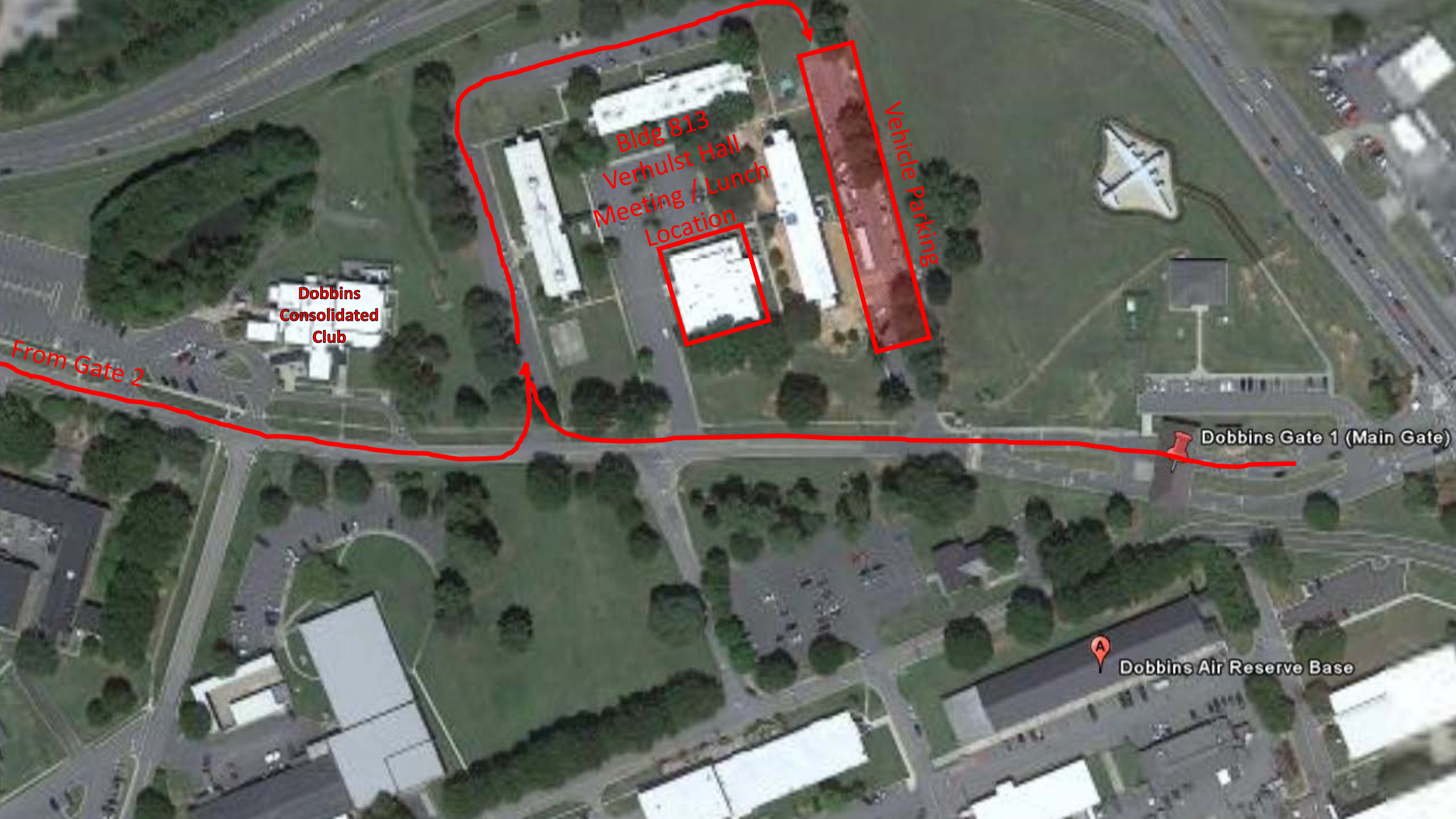# Directions from Marriott Hotel

Meeting at Verhulst Hall on Base

To Dobbins Main Gate
- Right onto Interstate ~~N Pkwy~~
- Left onto Windy Hill Rd SE
- Right onto Cobb Pkwy (Hwy 41)\
- Left to Main Dobbins Entrance

To Dobbins Gate 2 (Large Trucks / Towing Trailers)
- Right onto Interstate N Pkwy
- Left onto Windy Hill Rd SE
- Immediate Right to I75 N
- Take Exit 261, Delk Rd Towards Dobbins ARB
- Delk Rd becomes S Cobb Dr
- Left on Atlanta Rd
- Left at first light (Generals Rd)
- Immediate right toward Dobbins Gate 2
- Stay in Right Lane (POV)

Dobbins Gate 2

1356 Atlantic Avenue Southeast

18 min
8.9 miles

Atlanta Marriott
Northwest at Galleria

Bldg 813
Verhulst Hall
Meeting / Lunch
Location

Vehicle Parking

Dobbins
Consolidated
Club

From Gate 2

Dobbins Gate 1 (Main Gate)

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Dobbins Air Reserve Base